GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4467
ANSWERED ON:17.04.2001
ELECTRICITY DUES OF A.P
ALE NARENDRA;M. JAGANNATH;SUKENDER REDDY GUTHA

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the Andhra Pradesh Government had requested the UnionGovernment regarding payment of electricity bills by IDPL to APSEB;

(b) If so, the amount of arrears of electricity bills pending against IDPL;

(c) Whether the Union Government have made payment of these dues on behalf of IDPL;

(d) If so, the details thereof during 1998, 1999 and 2000; and

(e) If not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS & PETROCHEMICALS (SHRI S.B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) Yes, sir.

(b) The outstanding dues from IDPL as on 31.12.2000 to Andhra Pradesh Transmissioncorporation Ltd. and Andhra Pradesh Gas Power Corporation Ltd. are as under:

(Rs. In lakhs)

AP Transco	3632
APGPCL	1071

(c) No, sir.

(d) & (e) IDPL is a sick company before the BIFR under the provisionsof Sick Industrial Companies (Special Provisions) Act, 1985. These dues would be dealt with in accordance with the decision regarding revival of IDPL.